

Town Hall - Ordinances

SEWER

ORDINANCE NO. 2011-2

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE USE AND SERVICES RENDERED BY THE TOWN OF CAMDEN SEWAGE WORKS UTILITY

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Camden ("Town") has previously adopted ordinances, including Ordinance No. 2008-6, to establish and amend the rates and charges for the use and services rendered by the Camden Sewage Works Utility ("Utility"), and

WHEREAS, the Town arranged for the CPA and utility consulting company of O.W. Krohn & Associates, LLP, of Westfield, Indiana to perform a rate study of the Utility in connection with additions and improvements being made to the Utility, and

WHEREAS, the study indicates that the current rates and charges are not sufficient to meet the reasonable financial requirement of the Utility and thus, should be increased to enable the Town to properly operate its Utility, including providing for depreciation, servicing its bonds, financing the additions and improvements and making payments in lieu of taxes to the Town of Camden, and

WHEREAS, the Town has conducted a public hearing on the proposed new Utility rates and charges and has determined that they should be established as set forth in this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMDEN, INDIANA, THAT

Section 1. That there shall be and hereby established for the use of and the service rendered by the Sewage Works system of the Town of Camden, the rates and charges set out herein below and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. That the rates herein approved shall provide for a reasonable return on the Sewage Works utility plant of the Town and such other legal and necessary expenses as provided in I.C.36-9-23-26.

Section 3. Said rates and charges set forth in this ordinance shall be effective on July 1, 2011, with such additional effective dates as indicated hereafter.

Section 4. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Adopted by the Town Council of Camden on the _____ day of _____, 2011

TOWN OF CAMDEN

Pete Wagoner, President

Jeffrey "Andy" Kelly, Member

Richard Fite, Member

ATTEST:

Pat Casserly, Camden Clerk-Treasurer

**MONTHLY
METERED
RATES**

RATES PER 1,000 GALLONS

<i>EFFECTIVE DATE</i>	<u>PHASE 1</u>	<u>PHASE 2</u>
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FIRST 5,000 GALLONS	\$ 8.24	\$ 9.31
NEXT 8,000 GALLONS	7.23	8.17
NEXT 12,000 GALLONS	5.52	6.24
NEXT 25,000 GALLONS	4.39	4.96
NEXT 35,000 GALLONS	3.36	3.80
OVER 85,000 GALLONS	2.23	2.52

**MONTHLY BASE
CHARGE**

**GALLONS
ALLOWED**

5/8 INCH METERS	3,000	\$ 24.72	\$ 27.93
3/4 INCH METERS	3,000	24.72	27.93
1 INCH METERS	5,000	41.20	46.55
1 1/2 INCH METERS	10,000	77.35	87.40
2 INCH METERS	13,000	99.04	111.91

**NON-RECURRING
CHARGES**

**FORFEITED DISCOUNTS
(PENALTIES)**

10 % OF THE CURRENT MONTH'S BILL

**CUSTOMER DEPOSIT FOR WATER
UTILITY**

\$75.00

**CUSTOMER DEPOSIT FOR
WASTEWATER UTILITY**

\$75.00

**CONNECTION
CHARGES**

5/8 - 3/4 INCH
METER

\$200.00 (OR ACTUAL TIME AND MATERIALS
WHICHEVER IS GREATER ER)

LARGER THAN
3/4 INCH METER

AT COST - BUT NOT LESS THAN THE
TAP CHARGE FOR 5/8 - 3/4 INCH METER